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used for the purpose of repairing, making, improving, grading, sand-claying, graveling, topsoiling, and maintaining the public roads of said respective townships. That as early as possible after the ratification of this act, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State, at the cost and expense of the county of Stokes, to certify a copy of this act to the chairman of the board of county commissioners of Stokes County and mail the same to Chap Bodenheimer, Germanton, North Carolina, Route Number Two, and upon the receipt of same the said Chap Bodenheimer, chairman of the board of county commissioners of Stokes County, shall call a special meeting of the board of county commissioners of said county to meet at the courthouse in Danbury, North Carolina, on a day to be fixed by said chairman, which shall not be later than ten days from the day of the receipt of said copy by him, for the purpose of calling the election above provided for; and said chairman shall also, immediately upon the receipt of said certified copy of this act, notify by letter the other two members of the board. viz., James I. Owen of Westfield, Route Number One, and James M. Fagg, of Dillard, of the time, place, and purpose of said special meeting. The said board of county commissioners shall for at least thirty days next preceding said election give public notice of such election, together with the purpose thereof, by publication in one or more newspapers published in Stokes County, and cause notice thereof to be posted at five public places in each township for at least thirty days next preceding the election.

SEC. 2. That any election held under the provisions of this act shall be held and conducted in the same manner as is now or may hereafter be prescribed by law for holding elections for members of the General Assembly: Provided, however, that the said board of county commissioners shall appoint registrars, judges, and inspectors of election, and any other election officers; that the registration and challenge of voters shall be conducted in the same manner as is now provided or may hereafter be provided for the election of members of the General Assembly, and the said county commissioners may or may not order a new registration for any or all elections held under the provisions of this act. The vote shall be counted at the close of the polls and returned to the said board of county commissioners on the Thursday next following the election, and the said board of county commissioners shall tabulate the same and declare the result thereof, all of which shall be recorded in the minutes of the board of county commissioners, and no other recording and declaration of the result of said election shall be necessary.

Sec. 3. That at the said election or elections to be held, or that may be held, under the provisions of this act, the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified voters shall have written or printed upon them, "For Good Roads Bond Issue" or "Against Good Roads Bond Issue," and all qualified electors who favor the issuing of the said